

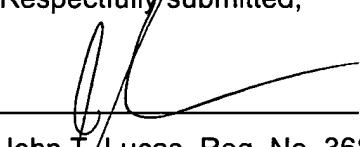
Remarks

Claims 2-10, 13, 14, and 17-19 are now in the case for examination. New claims 17, 18, and 19 replace cancelled claims 1, 11 and 16 .

Support for the amendments to the claims can are in the specification and claims as originally filed.

The Applicants believe that the application, including claims 1-10, 13, 14, and 17-19, is now in allowable form. Allowance is therefore respectively requested.

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